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**OLLIE GIBBONS ON TRIAL TODAY FOR HENDERSON MURDER**

Accused of Killing Gus Noffsinger  
Last December—Slain Man's  
Wife Is Indicted for  
Complicity.

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE OF CASE IS OVERRULED**

By Associated Press.  
HENDERSON, Feb. 19.—When brought into the court room here for trial on the charge of the murder of Gus Noffsinger, Ollie Gibbons was manifestly ill at ease. He smoked cigarettes continually. The court room was crowded and a large number of deputies were on hand to preserve order.

The defendant filed affidavit during the forenoon alleging that he did not know what he was arrested for and asked a continuance, which the court overruled. Of the first twenty-eight jurors examined only four were conditionally accepted. Mrs. Noffsinger is indicted with Gibbons for the murder of her husband. She was not in court.

By Associated Press.  
HENDERSON, KY., Feb. 18.—The trial of Ollie Gibbons, confessed slayer of Gus Noffsinger, Henderson coal man, and Mrs. Lurline Noffsinger, widow of the slain man, who was indicted on a charge of being an accessory before the fact, is set for 9 o'clock tomorrow morning in the Henderson Circuit Court.

A special venire of 200 legally qualified citizens of Henderson county has been summoned and the jury will be chosen from this number. Sheriff C. A. Benton was notified last week by Judge N. B. Hunt that the special venire was needed and deputies have been busy summoning the prospective jurors. Judge Hunt made no mention of what section of the county the venire was to be summoned from, only stipulating that the jurors be legally qualified citizens of Henderson county.

Gibbons signed a confession in the Louisville jail, where he was taken for safe-keeping following his arrest January 6, in which he stated that he had been urged to commit the crime by Mrs. Noffsinger, according to officers in Jefferson county. Mrs. Noffsinger, whose statement of the death of her husband led to the arrest of Gibbons, denied that she had begged him to kill Noffsinger.

No one except the parents and attorneys of Gibbons are permitted to see him. It was reported here by William Gibbons, father of the confessed slayer that his son would be willing to plead guilty and accept a life sentence but Gibbons' attorneys have not said what action will be taken. County Attorney Leo King was quoted as saying that such a proposition had not been mentioned to him.

Mrs. Noffsinger has been out on \$2,000 bond with relatives in Nublenburg county, her former home. In her statement to the officers Mrs. Noffsinger denied that she had begged Gibbons to slay her husband. She said that she knew Gibbons was preparing to kill Noffsinger and that on one occasion she refused to let her husband go out of the house as she feared Gibbons would take his life, according to her statement. She also said that Gibbons had tried to get her to put poison in Noffsinger's coffee.

**PICK JURIES FOR FEBRUARY TERM**

Criminal Court Starts At Pineville  
February 26—371 Cases  
On Docket

PINEVILLE, Feb. 19.—The juror commissioners have made public the list of petit jurors and grand jurors to serve during the February term of the Circuit Court for criminal cases to begin February 26. There are on the docket for this term of court 371 suits, including six murder cases, with a probability of more, dozens of divorce and liquor suits, and the usual routine tried at the criminal session. Judge J. G. Fortner will preside.

The following thirty-six names were drawn from the jury wheel from which selection will be made for the petit jury: Mat Taylor, J. F. Asher, J. W. Howard, John Slusher, Felix Caton, G. S. Maiden, James Helton, Charlie Hoskins, M. H. Carter, Robert Jones, J. M. Miracle, Elsie Howard, Vincent Hamlin, B. H. Wilder, Sam Fulkerson, Joe Knox, Preston Miracle, Lewis P. Green, Sr., J. F. Warren, Jeff Litter (Col. John W. Thomas, Milton Price, Frank Parkin, A. G. Lane, Ben Howard, R. B. Lee, John Dean, Robert Napier, Robert Tullz, A. J. Hoskins, James Cox, John Risner, B. F. Mann, Rev. Willie Brooks, W. H. Hollingsworth and Mat Partin.

For the grand jury the following twenty-four names were drawn: W. M. Crawford, J. W. Carter, W. F. Davis, Wilk Asher, J. F. Napier, E. L. Blacham, J. C. Long, Jeff Wilder, Jake Carmack, M. B. Fuson, John Com Fuson, Farmer Collett, Sunny North, J. Y. Remubree, C. B. Slusher, C. B. Beason, Silas Durham, J. J. Southern, Joe Brafford, The Rev. J. A. McCord, M. G. Hubbard, John L. Davis, Albert Hoskins and Jim Henry Partin.

The names were drawn from the jury wheel January 20 but were not made public. The juror commissioners are J. W. Hash, B. A. Rice and J. W. Partons.

**WASHINGTON IDEAS ON PROPOSED PARK**

Correspondent Tells Of Cumberland Gap And Norton Propositions With Odds For Latter

The following dispatch from Washington to the Knoxville Sentinel shows the favor with which the Cumberland Gap proposition is regarded there:

The Bald Knob National park which Representative Slem of the ninth Virginia district is supporting near Norton, Va., is meeting with opposition from the Cumberland Gap section, which has a plan afoot for the creation of a Lincoln National Park at the Gap. Citizens of Middlesboro and Cumberland Gap are proposing to donate a tract of 17,000 acres lying between the two towns, embracing sections of Bell county, Kentucky, Lee county, Virginia and Claiborne county, Tennessee, and including the pinnacle of High Pinnacle Knob mountain and the Cumberland Gap. If the government will take it over and improve and maintain it as a National Park to be named in commemoration of Abraham Lincoln.

Representative Robison of the eleventh Kentucky district has introduced a bill for this purpose which is now pending before the house public lands committee along with that of Representative Slem for the Norton park.

At a hearing before the committee yesterday on the Slem bill T. R. Hill of Middlesboro and Representative Robison appeared to urge action on the Lincoln Park measure, claiming it had made historic appeal and equaled the Norton project in scenic attraction being more accessible to tourists.

Representative Slem, assistant secretary of the interior, E. O. Finney, J. R. McFarland, of Pittsburg, Pa., and J. L. Campbell of Norton ap-

GERALDINE FARRAR TELLS HER MARITAL TROUBLES



Geraldine Farrar, star of opera and screen is shown here testifying before a referee in her divorce action against Lou Tellegen. On the right is her attorney, Alvin Untermeyer. Stenographer at left.

**BANKERS OUTLINE SCHOOL PROGRAM**

Committee Appointed to Work Through Schools and Civic Organizations

LEBANON KY., Feb. 19.—A movement to coordinate the efforts of the American Bankers Association and the Kentucky Bankers Association in promoting public education has been announced by O. D. Thomas, of this city, president of the state organization, with the appointment of an educational committee to look after the work.

The national organization has prepared a set of lectures and has mailed copies to the members of the Kentucky Bankers Association. It is the purpose of the organization to impress upon the members the importance of taking the lead in their respective communities in the matter of public education. Members are urged to deliver these lectures themselves or to see that they are delivered before the various high schools, parent-teacher associations and kindred groups of teachers and clerks in banks also are requested to study the suggested lectures and make arrangements with local superintendents of schools to give as many as possible throughout the school year.

The lectures selected by the American Bankers Association have been approved by George Colvin, state superintendent of public instruction, according to the announcement sent out by Mr. Thomas. The Kentucky Bankers Association and leaders in educational work in the state have endorsed the work.

The committee in charge appointed by Mr. Thomas is composed of Charles H. Ellis, Sturgis, chairman; Richard Bean, Louisville; L. N. Davis, Ashland; R. W. Cole, Barboursville and J. D. Foote, Winchester.

"You will find each member of this committee ready and anxious to help in this effort," said Mr. Ellis in his statement outlining the work. "Each member feels the great necessity of doing something for the educational interest of our state. Each one is perfectly willing to give time and best to the cause. Each one appeals to the members throughout the state to take an interest in the work. The program as submitted needs no recommendation from any member of this committee as it bears the endorsement of our superintendent of public instruction, George Colvin, and other leaders in education in this state, as well as the endorsement of the Kentucky Bankers Association."

appeared in favor of the Norton project, opposition was voiced to it in addition to Hill and Robison by Robert Sterlin, yard of the American Civic association Miss Kathleen Hafford, representing the Federation of Women's clubs, Barrington Moore, secretary of the National Park committee, New York and Harris A. Reynolds of Boston and John W. Chalkley of Kentucky. Their opposition was chiefly that the Norton project did not measure up in scenic attractiveness and beauty of the great National parks in the country and lacked in historic appeal.

**KILLED CHUM?**

Charged with shooting and killing his 13-year old chum, Walter Melowitz, during a card game argument, Robert Rutkowski, 13, of Hillside, a suburb of Chicago, was captured by police while hiding in railroad yards. Photo shows Rutkowski after his capture.

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BREAK IN COLD SNAP  
PROMISED IN NEXT  
TWENTY-FOUR HOURS  
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By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Rising temperatures except in the extreme south are reported today by the weather bureau which predicted a further break in the cold snap during the next twenty-four hours. Temperatures to day are below freezing with a killing frost as far south as the Alabama coast.

**DOCTORS SAY BIOLOGICAL DRUGS MUST BE ON ICE**

Resolutions to patronize only drugists who keep biological products on ice were passed at the recent meeting of the Bell County Medical Association. It was said that many pharmacists failed to keep such products on ice and that the strength of the drugs were impaired.

Resolutions on the death of Mrs. H. L. Gragg were offered and approved by members of the association.

**LOCAL MINISTERS HOLD MEETING**

Plan Work As Non-Sectarian Organization In Conference This Morning.

"The ministers of Middlesboro, supported by their churches, can do more for the public good than all the clubs and other organizations," declared Rev. A. B. Reeves at the meeting of the Ministers' association in the city hall this morning.

All the ministers present made interesting talks. Future work of the organization was discussed. Rev. W. K. McClure was chairman, of the meeting. That the association is non-sectarian in its work was explained by the chairman.

In view of the approaching elections, Rev. W. L. Powell said that the association should take some stand, not as a political body, but for the purpose of getting the right men in the office.

A committee consisting of Rev. A. B. Reeves, Rev. E. F. Burnside and Rev. Sam. P. Martin were appointed to make by-laws for the association.

The next meeting will take place on Monday, March 5, at the city hall.

Those present at the meeting this morning were: Rev. W. K. McClure, Rev. E. F. Burnside, Rev. W. L. Powell, Rev. A. B. Reeves, Rev. W. A. Marcum and Rev. W. D. Farmer of Cumberland Gap.

**Diva's Dog Wins Prize**

Anna Case, famous opera star, is shown here smiling her pleasure over the first prize won by her Russian wolfhound, Nikolai of Vladenska, at the Westminster Kennel Club Show in New York.

**RESPONSIBILITIES OF CITIZENSHIP**

Harding Tells Rotary Club Cooperation With Civil and State Authorities a Duty

By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, FEB. 18.—That citizen who regards himself as a model of civic propiety because his present conduct is impeccable; but who does not cooperate with the civil authorities or exert his influence in behalf

of the best possible administration of the laws greatly overrates his usefulness as a citizen, President Harding stated today in summing up his idea of the responsibility of the individual citizen for the proper administration of the laws of his country and his city. The message of the President was addressed to the citizens of the United States through the Rotary International in connection with the eighteenth anniversary of the organization of the first Rotary Club at Chicago, February 23, 1905.

The full text of President Harding's address to the members, Rotary International, was as follows: "The individual citizen's responsibility for executive government begins with the selection of the executive. This implies the duty of every voter to vote: a duty that many millions of them regularly fail to perform. Before that, it implies the duty to vote intelligently, to make the vote represent a deliberate decision based on the claims of the opposing parties and candidates."

"Finally, the executive being duly selected, it implies the obligation to give him the support of all good citizens in every effort of administration of the law. That citizen who regards as a model of the civic propiety, because his present conduct is impeccable; but who does not cooperate with the civil authorities or exert his influence in behalf of the best possible administration of the law, greatly overrates his own usefulness as a citizen. The responsible officers of government whether it be municipal, state or national, need and are entitled to the full and effective support of all citizens in the enforcement of laws."

"If the effort of Rotary should be effective in impressing this conception of the citizen's duty it will have performed a most useful service."

**MYSTERIOUS DEATH OF DR. H. C. CHANCE'S BROTHER**

Dr. H. C. Chance of Cumberland Gap has received word of the mysterious death of his brother, Levi Chance, United States post office inspector, at Savannah Saturday. Levi Chance was born in Claiborne county and was well-known there. A Savannah dispatch tells of his death, as follows:

Circumstances surrounding the death of Levi C. Chance, United States post office inspector, whose lifeless body was found seated in a chair in his office Saturday afternoon with a bullet wound in his side, remained a mystery today.

Asked for a statement as to what they believed was the motive for the shooting, inspectors said all indications pointed to the fact that it was accidental.

It is the belief that Mr. Chance had completed cleaning a revolver, and laid it on the desk with such force that the trigger was released, causing the shell to explode.

**THREE INJURED IN TRUCK WRECK AT CUMBERLAND GAP**

Otis Green, Glen Fortner and J. T. Smelter, of Cumberland Gap, who were injured in an auto truck accident Thursday, are improving. The truck they were driving was loaded with coal and coming around a curve south of Middlesboro the steering broke and threw them down a steep embankment. Green is thought to be injured seriously. The truck was demolished.

**CHARGES LAWYERS USE CONGRESSMEN UNKNOWN TO THEM**

House Immigrant Committee Head Tells Of "Den Of Forty Thieves" Where Influence Is Sold To Foreigners.

**MEMBERS OF CONGRESS NEVER LEARN OF FRAUDS**

By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Chairman Johnson of House Immigrant Committee today charged before the House Rules Committee that there is a clique of lawyers in New York city to buy and sell the influence of senators and representatives without their knowledge. "There is in New York City," said Johnson, "a place absolutely known as the den of forty thieves, a building full of lawyers who make their living representing to persons for stated sums that they can obtain influence with members of Congress. I know one case where friends of an immigrant told him that for one thousand dollars the influence of a certain member of the House could be had to get the immigrant into this country under bond. Members had no knowledge of the matter. Lawyers got the man into the country under bond without going near a Congressman."

**INSTALL U. T. C. IN PINEVILLE**

Thirty Charter Members From Pineville, Middlesboro, Harlan and Barboursville

PINEVILLE, Feb. 19.—The Boone Trail Council No. 647 of the U. T. C. was installed Saturday afternoon at the K. P. Hall in Pineville with members from Pineville, Middlesboro, Harlan and Barboursville on the charter roll, totaling thirty in all.

Following the preliminary work, officers were elected who follow: Bob Wilson, senior counselor; A. B. Norton, past senior counselor, who will be given a trip to Baltimore to the national meeting in June since he was instrumental in organizing this council; R. C. Ramsey, junior counselor; J. Y. Lee, page; E. W. Pittman, secretary treasurer; Noble Strunk, chairman and Harry L. Petree official keeper of the scroll.

The work was put on by W. T. Benton, grand councillor; Geo. F. Brown, grand secretary, both of Lexington; Grand Sentinel Endicott; and J. T. Crabb, of Winchester.

A six o'clock dinner was served at the Continental Hotel and speeches were made by the visiting men and newly elected officers. It was decided to have the meeting night the second Saturday in each month when programs and dinners will be arranged. Between twelve and fifteen candidates will be initiated at the next meeting night.

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These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation; but he ye of good cheer; I have overcome the world.—John 16:33.

Thou art never at any time nearer God than when under tribulation; which he permits for the purification and beautifying of thy soul.—Miguel Molinos.

LIMITED TIME TO FILE INCOME TAX REPORTS

Robert H. Lucas, Collector of Internal Revenue, calls attention to the fact that only twenty-four days remain in which to file within the time prescribed by law an income tax return for the year 1922.

Every person living in the United States is subject to the provisions of the Income Tax Law and must file a return if single and his net income for 1922 was one thousand dollars or more, or if married and his net income was two thousand dollars or more. Widows, divorcees, or a person separated from husband or wife by mutual agreement are classed as single persons.

Many individuals are required to file a return although no tax is due. The penalty for failure to file a return of this class is just as severe as the penalty for failure to file a taxable return. Failure or willful refusal to file an income tax return on time subjects the delinquent to heavy penalties. For failure to file a return for a year 1922 on time, viz, March 15, 1923, the individual becomes liable to a penalty of not more than One Thousand Dollars. Willful refusal to make a return is punishable by fine of not more than Ten Thousand Dollars or one year's imprisonment, or both.

Collector Lucas stated that the Internal Revenue Bureau has at its command innumerable sources of information for checking up delinquents and that shortly after March 15th an intensive drive would be made along this line. The Collector also stated that thousands of dollars were collected last year from persons who failed to file their 1921 returns on time.

The Collector's entire field force is at the disposal of the taxpayers to render assistance in the preparation of their returns and all who need or desire such assistance are requested to avail themselves of this privilege before the final rush around March 15.

We are to have another ice plant in Middlesboro. We already have several ice houses but they are often called boarding houses.

"Kisses Two for One Cent"—sign in a drug store window. Another example of the high cost of living.

Local Dodge agency is preparing to do business on a large scale next spring.

Those wishing to know what pictures are showing at the theater may obtain such information from the waste-baskets at the postoffice.

It is only the high-brow bootleggers that call their hench synthetic gin.

Henry Ford had to stay in Cincinnati twelve hours on account of bad train service. Had it been Middlesboro we would doubtless have him until next summer.

Edison hopes to live to be a hundred. That wish is one thing that the wizard did not invent.

Resident near Fern Lake says his property is ruined by dammed water. Could this be called a cursory remark?

"Sarcophagus of Tutankhamun Is Found Today"—Daily News headline. Just to be the first we'll confess we didn't know it was lost.

Acreage for proposed national park is said to be difficult to obtain, the reason being, perhaps, that the land is so high.

"Cold Wave Strikes Atlantic Coast," says heading. We don't see anything unusual in that.

Austrian sword swallower now in Middlesboro doubtless practiced with boarding house spaghetti.

Some parts of the city said to be found unsatisfactory. Other parts are so completely covered with rubbish that they have not been found.

Fellowship of Prayer

Daily Lenten Bible reading and meditation prepared for Commission on Evangelism of Federal Council of Churches.

MONDAY The Higher Law

"Is it lawful on the Sabbath day to do good?" Mark 3:14.

"He lifted himself above the most sacred institutions of his nation. He lifted himself above the Sabbath."

MEDITATION: Jesus was bound by but one law; the law of service, which is love in action. This is not a law of restraint, but of compulsion. He hallowed the Sabbath Day by deeds of love and mercy.

HYMN:

O Master, let me walk with thee in lowly paths of service free. Tell me thy secret, help me hear the strain of toil, the fret of care.

PRAYER: Most Holy and Most Gracious God, who turnest the shadow of the night into morning; satisfy us early with thy mercy, that we may rejoice and be glad all the day. Lift the light of thy countenance upon us; calm every troubled thought, and guide our feet into the way of peace. Perfect thy strength in our weakness, and help us to worship thee: through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

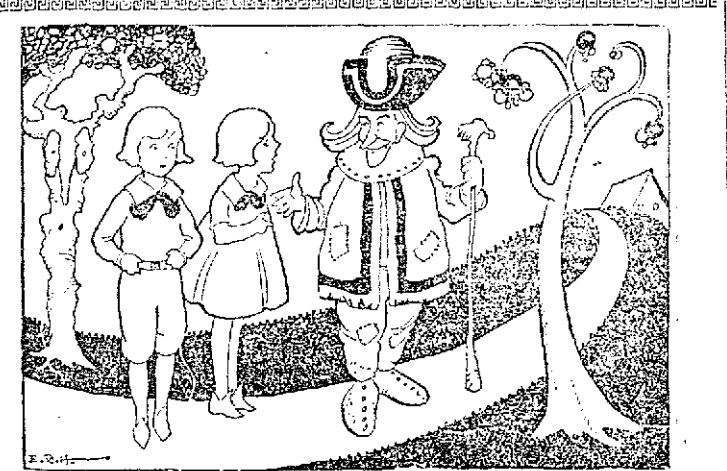
CANADA'S PRIDE



Winifred Blair of St. John, N. B., has been selected as the most beautiful girl in Canada. She received the award in a contest in which beauty candidates from all parts of the Dominion were entered.

Adventures of The Twins

By Olive Roberts Barton



The Twins went along the road of Mix-Up Land asking everybody they met where Jack Straw's palace was. "Yes and yes they met a nice old man and asked him.

"We don't know where it is today," he answered. "Some day it's on top of the hill. Some days it is out on an island in the sea, some days it's up in the air, and the rest of the days we don't know where it is. If it would only stay put, we could get our army of soldiers and put Jack Straw out."

"But you see he has a magic ring and whenever he sees us coming he turns this ring and his palace hops off to another place."

"But doesn't he ever take a walk?" asked Nick.

"Yes, he does, but it's the same thing. Every time he sees someone coming he turns this ring and his enemy suddenly finds himself standing on his head or up a tree or down a well or some place like that. We've done all we can, but it's of no use."

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THEY'RE FEEDING THIS PUP THE WRONG FOOD



paratory to a G. O. P. burial in 1924. Senator Caraway, Arkansas, also a Democrat, takes a different view.

THE ONE-MAN WOMAN

By Ruth Agnes Abeling.

"And you were expecting me to defend myself," Kate went on coolly, while Latham, across the table eyed her angrily.

"But I'm not going to," she continued, "because what you say may be true, truer than I have known until now."

"Possibly I have let you on—but I've done it without realizing," her tone was low, intense.

"Every woman realizes," Latham's words came explosively. "Don't try to tell me," he continued, "that any woman doesn't know when she is making a fool of a man! No matter how intelligent he is, no man is equal to woman in matters of love. Women were born for it. Men were born to be the victims of it!"

"The simplest little country girl is an artist at—" he sought a word—"at loving! and merciless. Women are ruthless in love. Men fall for their talk of romance and of ideals. They haven't any! Women are not romantic! They are mercenary."

"Men are the romantic fools," Latham finished bitterly.

"And it isn't romance, it isn't genuine love, then, that makes mothers of women and sustains them during crises? It isn't—" Kate's voice broke. Latham was unmoved. He watched Kate's struggle for emotional control as coolly as he might have watched a piece of fine machinery carrying out its purpose. He was interested but utterly unresponsive.

"Sustains," his tone was bitter. "Modern women haven't any sustaining qualities! They are as fickle and undependable as an April day! Instead of courage they have cunning!"

"Why take this girl—this Alice you've been talking about. You think she's tremendously interested in something, that she has a purpose in asking your aid, that possibly there is a man she loves and who, for some reason, needs her help. Suppose it is the man we saw in the morgue today—and probably it is if it's anyone—naturally then, this is a time when she should be grieving. Do you suppose she is?" His tones were hard and cold.

"He appreciated the message, but he enjoyed the box of pug. At a recent hearing before the Judiciary Committee of which Nelson is chairman, he borrowed a chew from Daugherty, having exhausted his supply. He told Daugherty later it was the best he had ever tried. And Daugherty, always thoughtful, remembered Knute's taste when his birthday rolled round.

As a hard chewer, Nelson is now undisputed Washington champion. His only runnerup in recent years was the late Chief Justice White.

Pat Harrison, Democratic senator from Mississippi, suggests that John may be studying styles in tombs preparatory to a G. O. P. burial in 1924.

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The item of news and society in your neighborhood are interesting to other readers of our paper. Why not phone them in? Call 63.

### THE DIFFERENCE

So sweet a song I heard,  
So sweet and clear,  
Each leaf above me stirred  
Enthralled to hear:  
A bird with tidings three,  
A nest of straw,  
And boundless ecstasy,  
Was what I saw.

Oh bird, pray tell me this,  
How sing you so?  
Is yours a world of bliss,  
And mine of woe?  
"Not so," the singer said,  
"We live apart."  
"You in a world of Heaven  
And I of Hell!"

—Frank X. Platt

### Good Manners

The making of engagement presents has disappeared as an obligation among acquaintances being sufficient. However, if they please, a young woman's close

friends may send gifts too, such as bits of china, glassware or even silver. Markings on such presents are usually in the bride's name.

### Business Woman's Circle Meets Tomorrow Night

The business woman's circle of the First Presbyterian Church will meet tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock with Miss Addie Young, at the home of C. A. Wood. Mrs. H. E. Verran is leader of this circle.

Good

### Presbyterian Circles Meet

The various circles of the Presbyterian Church meet this afternoon as follows: Circle 1, with Mrs. L. L. Robertson; Circle 2, with Mrs. F. D. Hart, Jr.; Circle 3, with Mrs. Harry Moss; Circle 4, with Mrs. Jacob Schultz.

### Rev. R. E. Douglass Entertained

The Rev. Rutherford E. Douglass of Macon, Ga., is being entertained rather extensively by members of the First Presbyterian Church during his stay in Middlesboro. Yesterday noon he was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Robertson; today noon he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hart, Jr.; tomorrow noon he will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McCann; tomorrow evening by Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kinnaird; and Wednesday evening by Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Edmonds.

### P. T. A. Meeting Is Tonight

The Parent-Teachers' Association will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the central school auditorium. The program which will be musical, is in charge of Miss Lillian Sear, musical instructor, and will be given by public school pupils. All members of the organizations are urged to be present. Mrs. Mary Brown will talk on the "Progress of Public School Music."

### Music Study Club Tomorrow Night

The Middlesboro Music Study Club will give one of its correlative programs at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at the Presbyterian church. The artists studied this time are: Cadman and Gotschalk, composers; Poe, poet; and Whittier, painter. The public is invited to hear this program.

### Mrs. J. A. Gray and Daughters Leave

Mrs. Johnson Archer Gray and daughters, Miss Gwen and Miss Gladys, left last night for Lexington to join Dr. Gray and make their home there. They were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sprague.

### Rowlett-Moss Wedding Yesterday

Miss Laura Moss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Moss of Binghamtown and Warren Rowlett, were married at 11 o'clock yesterday morning at Cumberland Gap. They left immediately for a honeymoon in the east. On their return they will make their home in Middlesboro, having taken an apartment in the McKay building. Mr. Rowlett is an employee of the L. & N. railroad.

## TODAY'S RECIPES

### POACHED EGGS—ASPARAGUS

By Bertha E. Shapleigh, of Columbia University

For poached eggs, with asparagus tips and sauce, a good luncheon or supper dish, take:

Six eggs, an equal number of slices of toast from which crusts have been removed, a can of asparagus tips, a cup and a half of milk, three tablespoons each of butter and flour, half a teaspoon each of salt and grated cheese and an eighth teaspoon of pepper.

First, make the sauce, melting the butter and adding flour, seasonings, milk. Cook until smooth and thick, then add cheese, and keep hot over water.

Poach the eggs in the usual way and

add the asparagus tips. Place the toast on a platter of individual plates, cover with part of the sauce and on it place the eggs. Pour the remaining sauce over the eggs and serve asparagus tips between the eggs. Sprinkle with paprika.

### Ewing Notes.

Miss Ethel Hamilton, Miss Anne Gibson and R. C. Graham were shopping in Middlesboro Tuesday.

The Home Economics class of J. C. I. entertained a number of their friends with a valentine party Wednesday night. Refreshments were served and appropriate games furnished entertainment.

Miss Ethel Hamilton and R. C. Graham of J. C. I. went to Shawnee Wednesday to attend the funeral of Miss Pearl Brown.

George Marcan was caught by the machine belt while working in B. C.

### Stage Lures Member of Nobility



The Hon. Sylvia Gough, wife of Captain Wilfred Gough and daughter of General Sir Hugh Sutley-Gough, has startled London society with the announcement that she is about to go on the stage and will begin as a chorus girl.

### Bayonets Prod Ruhr Workers



German workmen who were prevented from striking by the French military are shown here loading coal at Essen under the shadow

### Carrying On for Wallie



Mrs. Wallace Reid, wife of the late picture star, is to carry on her fight against the drug traffic which took her famous husband's life. Here she is shown with Thomas H. Ince, prominent producer, planning a picture in which Mrs. Reid will appear. All the proceeds will go to the establishment of the Reid Memorial Hospital at Los Angeles for the treatment of drug addicts.

Fugate's rolling mill Wednesday and was slightly dented and cut by the machinery but escaped serious injury. B. C. Fugate made a business trip to Jonesville Wednesday.

W. A. McNeil and daughter, Miss Vida McNeil, of Hoop, Tenn., were visitors in Ewing Friday.

H. C. T. Richmond is confined to his room this week with rheumatism. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ritchie shop in Middlesboro Thursday.

H. M. Porter made a business trip to Osaka Thursday.

### ENGLISHMAN PLANNED IDEAL CITY OF WORLD IN CENTRAL KENTUCKY

By Associated Press.

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 19.—Picture a coterie of eighteenth century London gentlemen, fired with the spirit of the creator and pioneer, intently pouring over a graphically illuminated chart of "the ideal city of the world", and visualizing over their mugs of ale the day when the virgin hilltops of that frontier region of the New World called Kentucky—beyond the ragged edge of the lands assimilated by those recalcitrant colonists—should rise this wonder city "Lystra!"

"The chief city of Kentucky," was the designation put to Lystra on a London map in 1791. But Lystra never materialized.

Otis M. Mather, of Hodgenville, Ky., student of early Kentucky history, tells of the intended metropolis. "The primeval forest still waves

over the spot," Mr. Mather declared. "The site is located in the extreme eastern part of La Rue county, Kentucky and the only thing that marks it is the postoffice and general store of Glennings, a little village several miles away."

Maldrough Hill, a landmark in the vicinity was to be the approximate center of the city and is still there.

Lystra was to cover 15,000 square acres, divided into twenty-five blocks each block with its individual part. Streets were to be 100 feet wide and visionary structures and improvements were located and planned—on a map in London.

But the Englishmen never came to Kentucky. In the days that have elapsed since, however, the Bluegrass country to the east of Lystra's proposed location has been transformed into a prosperous region known as one of the richest communities of the "New World."

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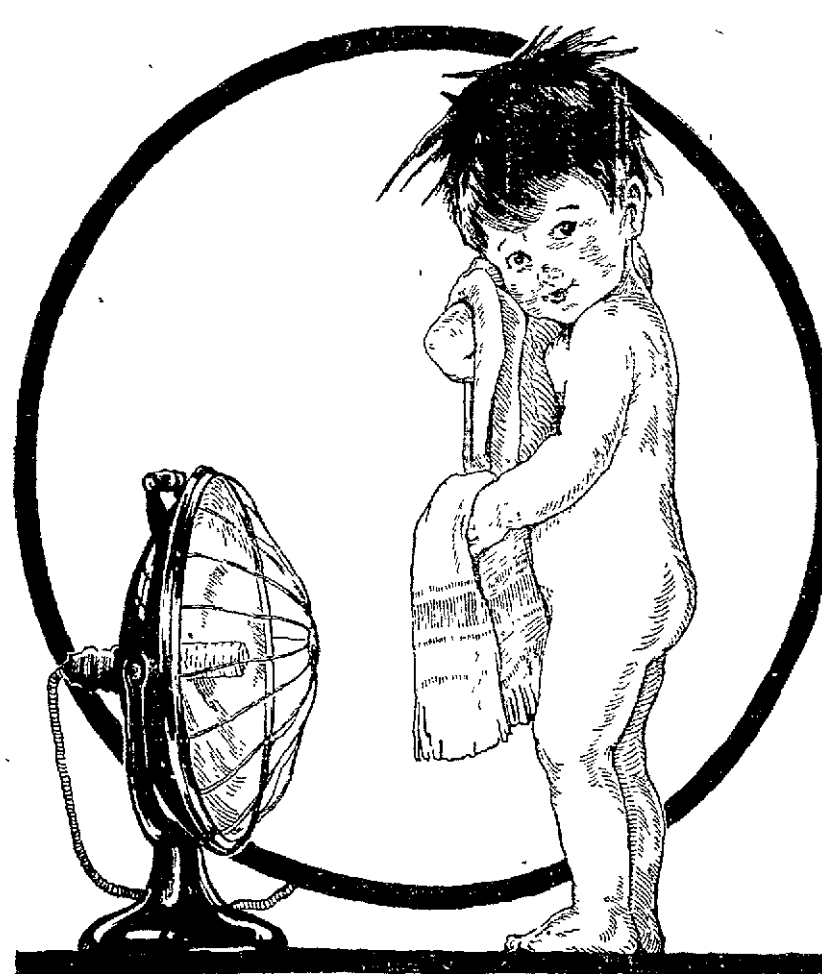
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### The Banks of Middlesboro

Will not be open for business Washington's Birthday, Thursday, February 22, 1923, this being a legal holiday.

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11:15 AM	Ar. Lynch	Lv. 4:30 PM	
	Middlesboro	Lv. 10:15 PM	

For Further particulars apply to Ticket Agent L. & N. R. R.

# Gloria Morgan to Wed Vanderbilt



Of great interest to society is the approaching marriage of Gloria Morgan (above), daughter of the American consul general at Brussels, and Reginald Vanderbilt. Miss Morgan is under 20 and Vanderbilt is 43.

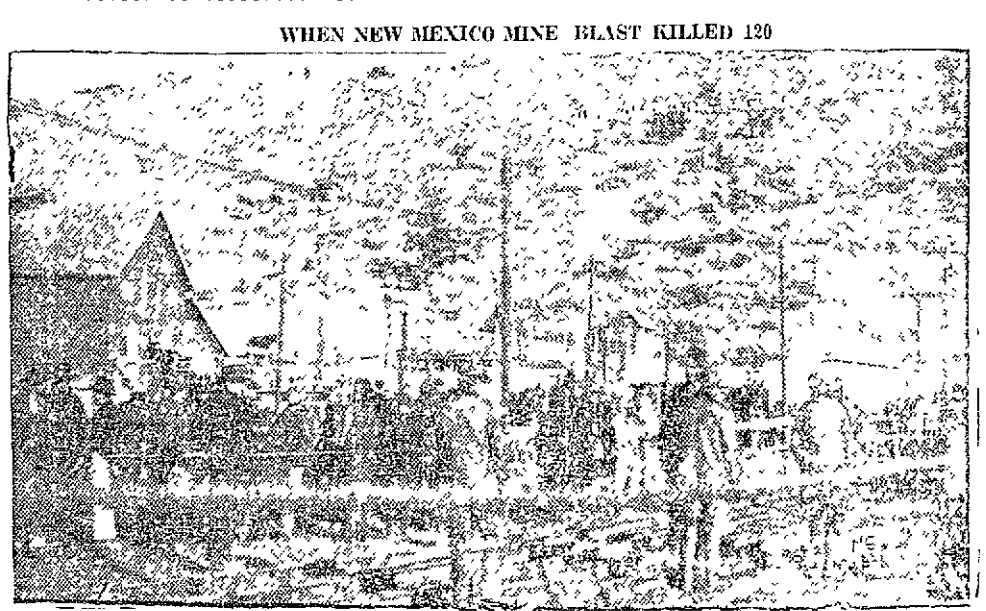


**Hit the Nail on the Head**

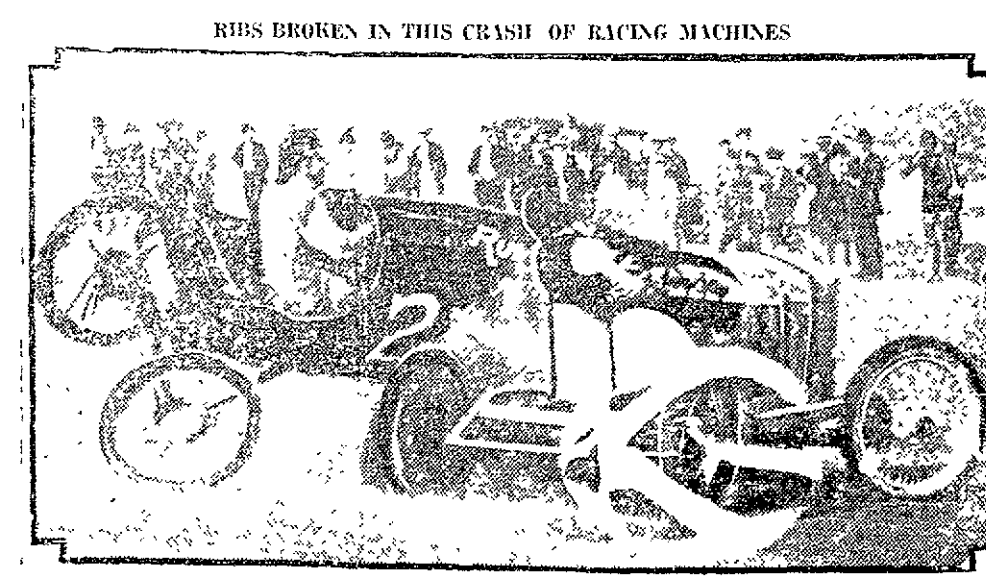
It's getting up courage to drive the first nail that's the hard part about building. You can trump up dozens of reasons for postponing the job—but did you ever know anybody to be sorry he built?

Most building materials are low priced now. Not every thing is as cheap as lumber but by the time the other things have dropped probably lumber will rise. So all in all this is a good time for building. Hit the nail on the head!

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When mine blast took 120 lives, picture shows relatives of the missing men thronging anxiously around the mouth of pit at Phelps-Dodge Mine No. 1, Dawson, N. Mex. waiting for the bodies of victims to be carried out.



This remarkable photo was snapped racing automobiles traveling at 89 at the instant of a crash between two miles an hour during the recent races at Daytona Beach, Fla. Johnson, driving car No. 2, was severely injured. Several ribs were broken and his car completely wrecked.

## GAS SUBSTITUTE FROM SOFT COAL

Mineralist Tells of Production By Subjecting to Low Temperature Carbonization

By Associated Press.  
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 21.—For winning petroleum supply of the country may be supplemented to a great extent, according to Charles R. Felt, the association professor of Geology and Mineralogy at Carnegie Institute of Technology, by taking the enormous quantities of bituminous coal now being burned in the raw state for steam raising purposes and domestic use, and subjecting it to low temperature carbonization. Professor Felt set forth this idea in the course of an address to the institute students.

This process, he said, will produce fuel that is in many respects superior to raw coal, the smoke nuisance it creates will be abated, and valuable by-products will be recovered which will aid greatly in attaining a petroleum supply that is being rapidly depleted.

Prof. Felt emphasized the warning that the known reserves of petroleum are being so rapidly reduced that one of the problems to be faced within the next decade or two will be to find substitutes in continually growing amounts, for the products now obtained from them.

"The distillation of oils from oil shales, another important source of supply, will be restricted to those regions where enormous quantities of the shales are found," said Professor Felt. "Where bituminous coal is found in larger quantities than shale, it will be more economical to confine the business of oil distillation to coal."

"With the growing shortage of natural gas and anthracite coal and their consequent increase in price, other sources of domestic fuel must come more and more into use. One of these undoubtedly will be low temperature coke. The low temperature carbonization of coal in this respect will have the advantage of the oil shale industry. It will yield a valuable fuel as a residue while the spent shale from the latter not only has little or no economic value, but means will have to be provided for its disposal."

## Notices Regarding Health Ordinances To Be Enforced By Feb. 21

Notice is hereby given to any person from or export in or through milk for sale within the corporate limits of the city with the exception of milk obtained from a private home, to conform to the health department.

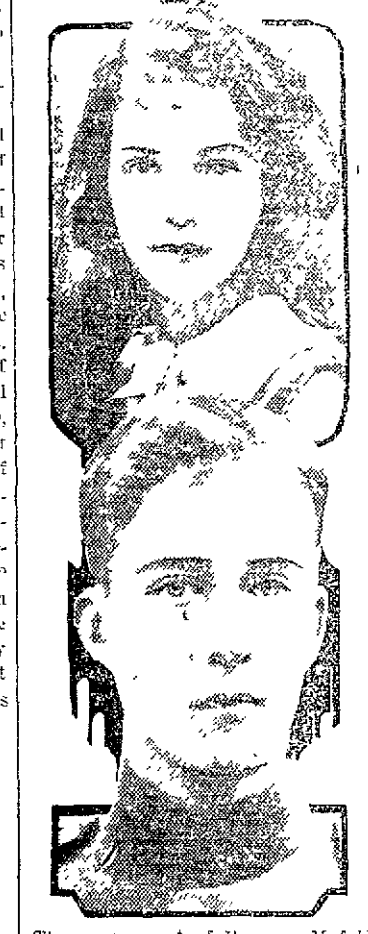
All permits must be renewed during the first two weeks of May of each year. Those who have not obtained a permit must apply for one before these days be obtained. The health department is applying to Miss Mary, the Red Cross Nurse, the health department, however, to furnish it a list of change such samples of milk of cream as may be necessary for analysis.

It is recommended that the permit be so displayed as to be easily seen by customers, since it assures the customer that the dairy is conforming to the laws of the state of Kentucky and the City of Middlesboro. Failure to conform to these laws subjects the violator to a fine of \$100.00 and each day constitutes a separate offense.

The citizens of Middlesboro can aid the health department materially if they will report dealers selling milk without a permit.

GEORGE HAYS, Health Officer

## Royalty to Wed



The engagement of Princess Matilda (above) second daughter of King Emmanuel of Italy to Crown Prince Leopold of Belgium will be announced immediately after the marriage of Princess Yolanda, eldest daughter of the Italian royal family.

## CHARGES BRIE



Declaring she was offered a \$27,000 bribe to go to Washington as lobbyist for "a certain bill," Mrs. T. J. Winter, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, has stated she will produce a letter offering the bribe when it becomes necessary.

for that **COUGH KEMP'S BALSAM**

## Buildings cast longer shadows in London than in America, but then they have had buildings there longer.

**Notice of Dissolution of Partnership**  
Notice is hereby given that the partnership between Herman and Sam Weinstem, heretofore doing business and owning and renting real estate in Middlesboro, Ky., under the firm name of H. Weinstem and Bro. has dissolved by mutual agreement, and H. Weinstem has become and is now the sole owner of the Weinstem office and business building corner Cumberland Avenue and 20th St., Middlesboro, Ky., which from this date is in the hands of H. Weinstem Real Estate Company, agent.  
This the 17th day of February, 1923.  
H. Weinstem.

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Lv. M'dboro for Pineville... 7:00 p. m.

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## Watch For Our Big Display of Carpenters Tools, Thursday, Feb. 22

### WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY



## If George Had Used a Plumb Hatchet

We will have on display Thursday, Feb. 22, the most complete line of High Grade Tools we can buy. Everyone of the lines shown will be tools that are nationally advertised, nationally used, and tools that must give absolute satisfaction.

If you need any good tools of any kind, it will pay you to look over this display.

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How is it possible to give you quality at the low cost of 10 cents for 50 cigarettes?

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The average smoker saves \$1 to \$1.50 a week by "rolling his own" from "Bull"—or from \$52 to \$78 a year. This makes quite a Christmas fund—or pays for a fine trip.

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## ★ GOOD

# CIGARETTES

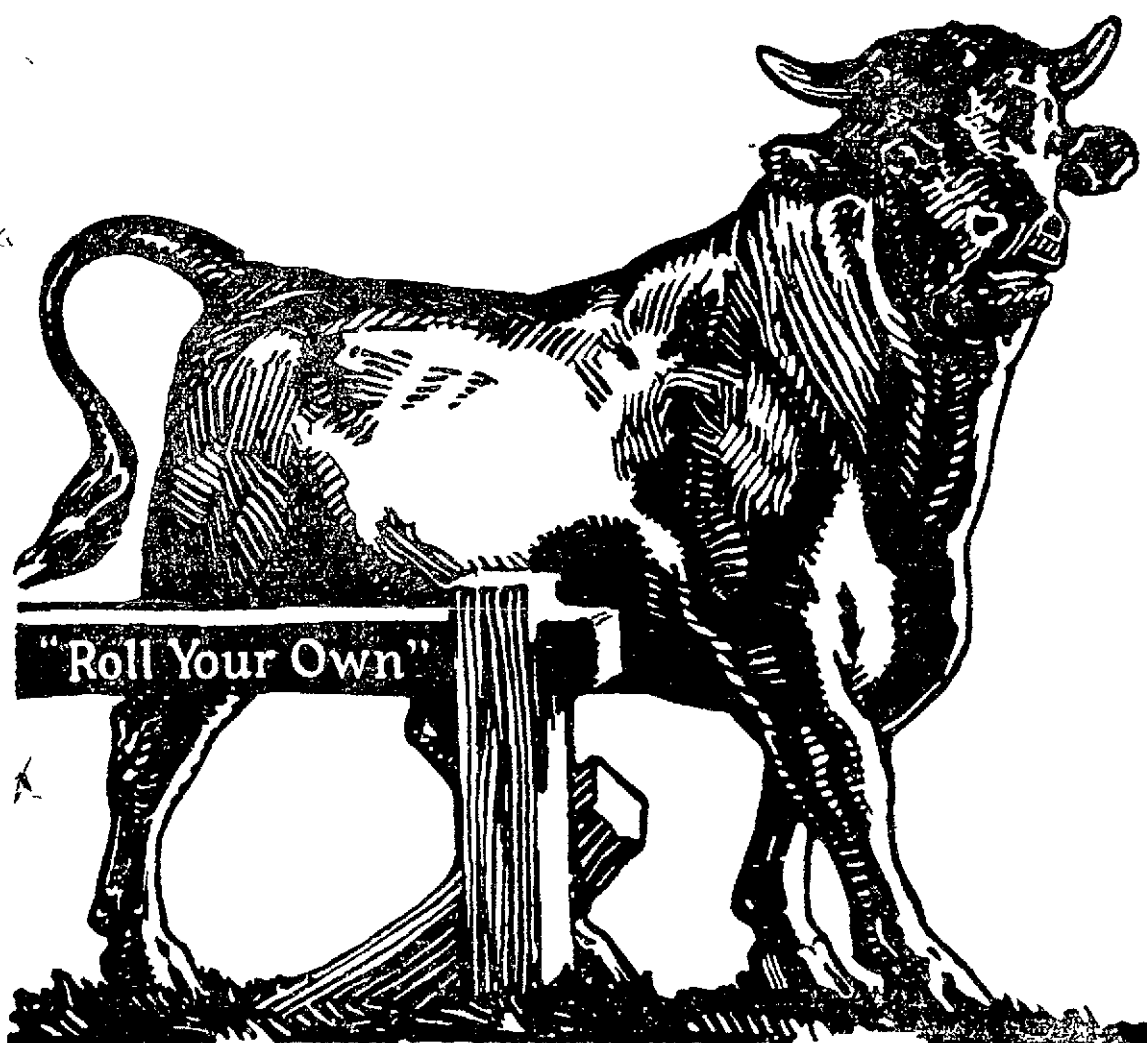
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## LOCAL BRIEFS

City subscribers who do not receive their copies of the Daily News may phone the Daily News office between the hours of 5:30 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. and one will be sent out to them.

Mrs. Will Mohr is recovering from a severe attack of tonsillitis. C. P. Rhodes of the Log Mountain Coal company, went to Huntington W. Va., over the weekend to bring his family from there to Middlesboro. They will live in the house at the corner of Exeter Avenue and Twenty-second Street.

Block Coal For Sale—Bell County Lumber & Coal Company, Call 300.

Miss Lillian Sway and Neal Bennett will go to Pineville tonight to attend a dance at the Continental Hotel. Clarence Banks of Barbourville was a visitor here yesterday.

A. R. Erstein has returned to his home in Cincinnati after a week's visit here.

Julian Erwin, formerly with the W. L. Lee Grocery company here, now connected with the same company at Jellico spent the week-end in Middlesboro.

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Mrs. H. C. Moore and her mother, Mrs. Cassell have gone to visit in Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cochran, formerly of Knoxville have moved to Middlesboro. Mr. Cochran is connected with the Campbell Coal company.

P. L. Mattingly of Manchester spent Sunday night here with home folks.

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T. F. Jones of Barbourville is visiting his daughter, Mrs. R. L. Mattingly, on Queensbury Heights.

Mrs. Charley Busic has been quite ill with flu for about ten days.

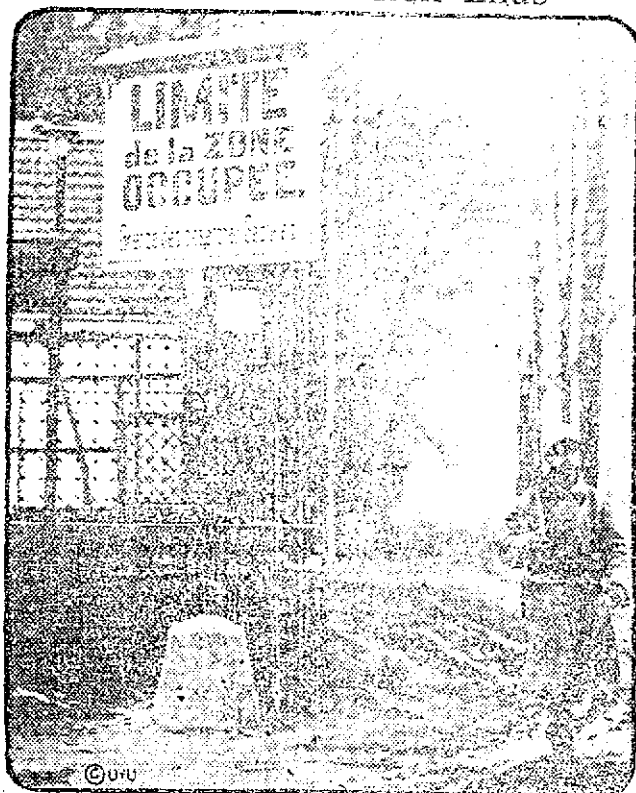
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Miss Virginia Barry is the owner of a beautiful new Hudson coach purchased for by her father, R. M. Barry, last week in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Stegall, Frank, Jr., and Martha Stegall of Harlan were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Blackburn on Petersburg Ave.

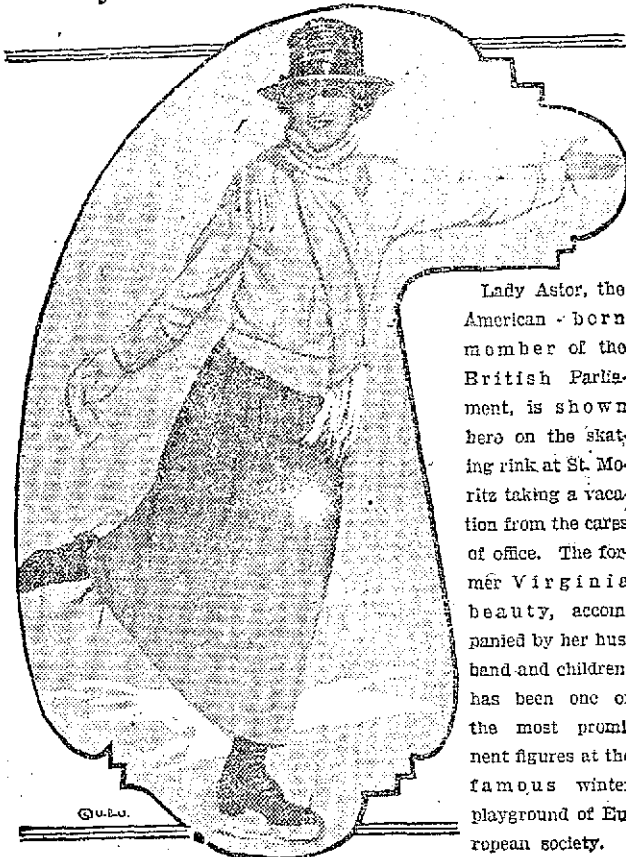
James Edward, Jr., two-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bingham, who has been very ill, is now improving.

## Where the Invasion Ends



Is this a permanent or temporary boundary of the French penetration into the Ruhr? Here is the end of the territory under French sway at the present time.

## Lady Nancy Takes Her Vacation



Lady Astor, the American-born member of the British Parliament, is shown here on the skating rink at St. Moritz taking a vacation from the cares of office. The former Virginia beauty, accompanied by her husband and children, has been one of the most prominent figures at the famous winter playground of European society.

## Weds Gould in Paris



Miss Florence Lacase, member of a wealthy and socially prominent San Francisco family, recently became the bride of Frank J. Gould in Paris. This is Gould's third marital adventure and the second for Miss Lacase.

## Bomb Home of Free State Official



Here are shown the remains of the Dublin home of Solicitor Carrigan of the Free State after it had been bombed by rebels. A dressing gown which Solicitor Carrigan holds in his hand, was the only garment found intact.

## DENTISTS HOLD GOOD MEETING AT CORBIN

In spite of the inclemency of the weather, a fairly large attendance was present at the meeting of the Southeastern Kentucky Dental Association which was held at 8 o'clock Saturday night at the Wilbur Hotel at Corbin. Interesting talks were made by the members and a general social hour followed the banquet. Dr. J. H. Brooks and Dr. Schultz Gibson were the only Middlesboro dentists present.

The next meeting of the association will be held at Pineville on June 2. Owing to the fact that a meeting of the state association will be held in Louisville in April, the district association postponed its meeting until June.

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CATHOLICS—Wishing to marry, wanting introductions, write C. C. Club, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Among those who attended the funeral of White Johnson at Shawnee Thursday, were: Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Richmond, Ben T. Blessing and R. T. Harris.



Good Teeth Week Begins Today

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Cleans inside, outside and between the teeth. Cleans teeth better.

Lee Has It

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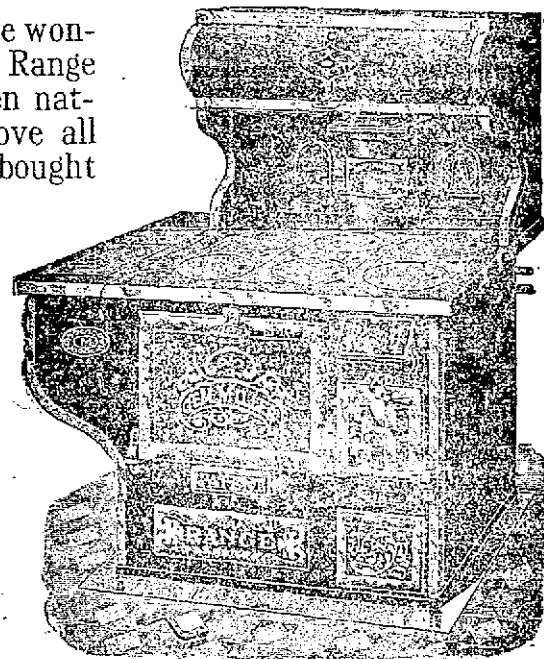
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